

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,
v.

Case No. 10-cr-20667
Hon. Matthew F. Leitman

JOHN COOK,

Defendant.

**ORDER TERMINATING DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO APPOINT
COUNSEL (ECF No. 419) AND MOTION TO REDUCE
SENTENCE (ECF No. 420) AS MOOT**

Defendant John Cook is federal prisoner who is currently incarcerated at FCI Bennettsville in Bennettsville, South Carolina. On August 19, 2019, Cook filed a motion for the appointment of counsel. (*See* Mot., ECF No. 419.) On July 9, 2020, Cook filed a motion to reduce his sentence. (*See* Mot., ECF No. 420.) Since Cook has filed these motions, he has retained counsel, and that counsel has filed a motion to reduce Cook's sentence. (*See* Mot., ECF No. 428.) Accordingly, because Cook has retained counsel and has filed a new motion to reduce his sentence, the Court will **TERMINATE** his previously-filed motions (ECF Nos. 419, 420) as moot.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 19, 2021

s/Matthew F. Leitman

MATTHEW F. LEITMAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon the parties and/or counsel of record on February 19, 2021, by electronic means and/or ordinary mail.

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